

HABS IND, 49-IND, 22 -

INDIANA

Marion (49)

INDIANAPOLIS

State

County

Town or Vicinity

14p
6d

Woodruff Place (IND-67)

Structure

East, West, and Middle Drives, parallel streets bounded by E. 10th St. on N., E. Michigan St. on S., Arsenal Technical High School on W., Tecumseh St. on E. Early example of residential planning in Indianapolis, platted in 1872 as a "residential park," not annexed to the city until 1962, streets have center esplanades with cast-iron fountains and statuary, lots average 80' x 170' uniform setbacks, houses are mostly frame construction,



of substantial size, and date from between 1872 and ca. 1920. Planner for the development was James O. Woodruff. 12 ext. photos (1970); 2 photocopies (1970, 1977); 6 data pages (1971, 1977). NR

Card prepared April 1977